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TAGS: PINS, LE, IS

SUBJECT: BORDER CROSSING BY ISRAELI FORCE

REFS: DAO BEIRUT 898 AND 990

ALTHOUGH WE CANNOT BE SURE THIS MORNING'S BORDER CROSSING BY IDF (REFTELS) WAS TOUCHED OFF BY FEDAYEEN ACTIVITIES, WE NOTE THAT IT WAS PRECEDED BY SOUND OF FIRING IN VICINITY YARIN. WE NOTE ALSO THAT SINCE YESTERDAY FEDAYEEN SOURCES HERE HAVE BEEN SPREADING STORY THAT POSTPONEMENT OF 'ARAFAT'S TRIP TO MOSCOW WAS CAUSED BY INFO RECEIVED BY FEDAYEEN THAT RESUMPTION OF MILITARY ACTIVITY WITH ISRAEL WAS IMMINENT. WE WOULD NOT BE AT ALL SURPRISED TO FIND THIS EVENING'S PLO (Wafa) BULLETIN AGAIN INVENTING ALLEGATIONS RE "MASSING" OF ISRAELI TROOPS ALONG LEBANESE BORDER AND CONSEQUENT NEED FOR 'ARAFAT'S PRESENCE AT "FRONT", AND TO FIND SUCH TALES GIVEN WIDE CIRCULATION IN TOMORROW'S NEWSPAPERS. BUFFUM

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